



## Satellite Broadcast and Webcast

Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

# Hospitals, Treatment Centers, and Public Health: Partners in Emergency Planning and Response

A Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) and  
Public Health Training Network Satellite Broadcast and Webcast  
Program website: <http://www2a.cdc.gov/phtn/treatmentcenters/default.asp>

**April 26, 2007**  
**1:00 - 2:30 PM ET**

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During a public health emergency or natural disaster, treatment centers, such as hospitals, nursing homes, and long-term care facilities, may be taxed beyond their capacities. Additionally, normal supply chains may be compromised, and treatment centers will rely on medications and supplies from the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) to maintain operations as well as respond to the additional burdens of such a disaster. This broadcast will focus on many of the issues facing both public health planners and their local treatment center partners, including the asset request process, apportionment considerations, and training for treatment center managers and employees. State and local SNS planners and health care professionals will share their experiences in developing coordinated plans for an emergency response, demonstrating the importance of strong partnerships between local health care entities and public health during an SNS response.

### Goal

To assist state and local SNS planners and treatment center/hospital administrators coordinate activities that are key to a successful response to a public health emergency in which SNS assets are deployed

### Objectives

Upon successful completion of the program, participants will be able to:

- Define treatment centers
- Identify issues involved in treatment center coordination
- Identify communication messages that should be coordinated with treatment centers
- Describe the request and supply processes for treatment centers
- Define the roles of treatment centers, public health, and SNS assets in an emergency response

### Intended Audiences

This broadcast is designed for state and local Strategic National Stockpile planners, state and local Cities Readiness Initiative planners, state and local hospital associations, state and local hospital preparedness planners/coordinators, emergency management personnel, senior hospital leadership, hospital bioterrorism preparedness planners, hospital managers, hospital nursing managers and staff, nursing care facility managers and staff, acute care facility managers and staff, long-term care facility managers and staff.

## **Presenters**

**William F. Raub, PhD**, Science Advisor to the Secretary, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

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## **Site Registration Information**

Site registration will soon be available through **CDC/ATSDR Training and Continuing Education Online** at <http://www2a.cdc.gov/phtnonline>.

## **Webcast Information**

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